

**2011 MnROAD Reconstruction
Engineer's Update
For the Week of August 22, 2011**

Construction continued this week with paving in Cell 6, Cell 5, and the Roller Compacted Concrete Demonstration Slab.

Cell 6 was paved on Monday, August 22. Paving began around 8:45 am and was completed in this cell around 1:30 p.m.



After the concrete paving was complete on August 22, C.S. McCrossan (CSM) installed the fabric on Cell 5. MnROAD staff installed the sensors on Cell 5 on Tuesday, August 23. Cell 5 was paved on Wednesday morning beginning around 8:30 a.m.



The Roller Compacted Concrete (RCC) Demonstration slab was paved on Friday, August 26.



Construction activities are scheduled as follows for next week:

8/29/2011 – 9/1/2011: Prepare the shoulders in Cells 6 and 5 in preparation for the Roller Compacted Concrete placement.

9/02/2011 (Friday): CSM will pave the shoulders using Roller Compacted Concrete (RCC).

If you have any questions, feel free to contact me.

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